

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of: Confirmation Number: 6448
LAFLAMME et al.

Application No.: 10/736,991 Group Art Unit: 1792

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Title: REDUCED MAINTENANCE CHEMICAL OXIDE REMOVAL (COR)
PROCESSING SYSTEM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated April 1, 2009, for which a response is due on July 1, 2009. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.